

**PATENT: 09/303,053**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(LHTLG No. 03,112)**

In re Application of:	)	
	)	Examiner: <b>Aaron Carter</b>
<b>DAVIDA et al.</b>	)	
	)	Group Art Unit: <b>2624</b>
Serial No. <b>09/303,053</b>	)	
	)	Confirmation No. <b>7831</b>
Filed: <b>April 30, 1999</b>	)	
	)	
For: <b>SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR</b>	)	
<b>AUTHENTICATE AND PRIVATE</b>	)	
<b>PRESERVING BIOMETRIC</b>	)	
<b>IDENTIFICATION SYSTEMS</b>	)	

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**AMENDEMENT AND REPSONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED**

**JANUARY 9, 2009**

Responsive to the Office Action Mailed January 9, 2009, the Applicant submits the following Amendment and Response.

**AMENDEMENT**

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

**Please amend claims 1, 6 and 13 as follows:**